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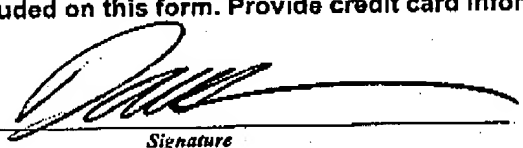
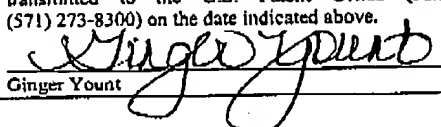
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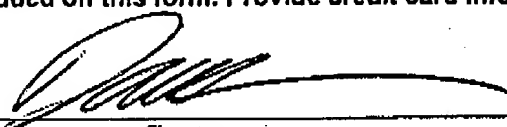
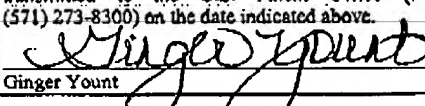
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Serial No.: 09/943,871  
Filing Date: August 30, 2001  
Title: CHANNEL REQUEST AND CONTENTION RESOLUTION APPARATUS AND METHOD

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2. Reply to Office Action Mailed April 26, 2007.

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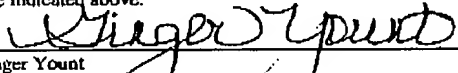
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 26, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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